

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 24-28 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please introduce the following new claims 29-34.

1-28. (Cancelled)

29. (New) An isolated polypeptide comprising the sequence of amino acid residues 11-390 of SEQ ID NO:4.

30. (New) A polypeptide comprising the sequence of amino acid residues 11-390 of SEQ ID NO:4, free of other proteins and polypeptides.

31. (New) A complex comprising the polypeptide of claim 29 and an antibody bound thereto.

32. (New) The complex of claim 31, wherein said antibody is a monoclonal antibody.

33. (New) An antibody which binds to the polypeptide of claim 29, to form the complex of claim 32.

34.(New) The antibody of claim 33, wherein said antibody is a monoclonal antibody.